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County Court Holds Two-Day Session.

The county court of Fayette county met in quarterly session on last Tuesday and not being able to finish its business on that day the session lasted most of Wednesday. There were present Chairman Shelton and thirty one of the thirty five justices that constitute the court, with Clerk Crawford and Sheriff Jordan in their places.

On the convening of the court the chairman read his annual report of the financial affairs of the county, which shows an improvement within the year just ended. According to the chairman's report, the entire revenue of the county for the year past was \$30,000 in round numbers and the expenses as shown by the warrants issued were \$24,400, that is the income of the county for the year exceeded the expenses by \$5,600. The report showed further that the outstanding debts of the county represented by warrants issued are about \$30,000, or the county is now just about one year behind with its bills. The workhouse expenses for the past year were shown to be \$3,490.

After reading his report Chairman Shelton announced the election of a chairman for the new year in order and invited Justice Steger to preside during the election. The name of Chairman W. G. Shelton was placed before the court and he was elected without opposition for the coming year. He resumed the chair and the oath was administered to him by Justice Steger, after which he expressed to the court his thanks for the confidence they had shown by re-electing him as their presiding officer and financial agent of the county, which place he has filled most creditably and satisfactorily for the year 1914. His salary was fixed at \$600, the same as last year. E. C. Boyd was re-elected chairman-pro-tem for the year.

Supt. D. K. Donnell was re-elected county superintendent without opposition and his salary was increased from \$650 to \$1,000. The state pays \$350 in addition to this, thus making his salary now \$1,350 instead of \$1,000 as in the past. After his election Supt. Donnell extended an invitation to the court to be his guests at luncheon at the Southern Hotel, it then being almost the noon hour, and the invitation was accepted without a dissenting vote. This luncheon has been given the justices each two years by Supt. Donnell since he has been superintendent and has been uniformly pleasant to the court and other invited guests. In a short talk following his election Supt. Donnell stated to the court that he would retire at the end of the next two years and would not be a candidate again. The schools have prospered during his administration, great improvement being in evidence throughout the county.

The payment of road contractors was then taken up and disposed of by districts as follows:

District	Contract Price	Recommended by Road Committee	Amount Paid
1	600	350	250
2	300	300	300
3	320	320	320
4	500	500	500
5	375	300	300
6	450	450	450
7	425	425	425
8	500	500	500
9	425	250	250
10	450	450	450
11	400	300	300
12	475	300	300
13	500	500	500
14	400	400	400
15	350	300	300

A resolution was passed providing for working the roads under the contract system again this year. A pretty vigorous contest was waged over this proposition and it carried by a vote of 17 to 14. The following were chosen as a road committee for the year: J. A. Johnson, T. H. Griffler, Wyatt Wilkinson, J. A. Weber, and the chairman is ex-officio a member.

W. B. Franklin and H. T. Ballard were re-elected as members of the high school board, their times having expired. H. B. Tharp having moved from Macon to Somerville, offered his resignation as a member of this board and the court elected J. M. Tomlin to fill the vacancy.

The proposition of joining the N. C. & St. L. Ry. in building a subway under the tracks of that road at the crossing just west of Warren on the stage road was disposed of by instructing the workhouse board to make the necessary excavation and then pay a sum of not more than \$350 if the railroad would bear the balance of the expense.

A resolution was offered requesting the members of the present legislature from this county to have passed a bill authorizing a bond issue of not exceeding \$50,000 to meet the present indebtedness of the county. The resolution evoked considerable discussion, but was defeated by a very decisive vote.

A petition for an appropriation of \$2,000 for a bridge over Wolf river on LaGrange and Holly Springs road in the thirteenth district came in for its share of discussion. It was brought out during the discussions that the amount asked for amounted to about \$3 per foot while the average price was around \$1.50. The difference in the price was said to be because of the pile-driving necessary in building this bridge. A motion carried authorizing a committee to buy material and build the bridge with the labor of workhouse

hands, a competent superintendent being employed to look after the work.

The work of Wednesday was mostly on the regular docket. The most of the day was taken up with routine matters, issuing warrants for bills already made and other such matters. The item in regard to the appropriation of \$500 toward the demonstration agent's salary came up Wednesday morning and was passed with only a few votes against it, the court standing almost a unit for the appropriation. Adjournment was taken soon after the noon hour and most of the justices who had staid over left on the afternoon trains for their homes.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c

Mr. Ed Moseby Dies in Helena, Arkansas.

From the Commercial-Appeal of Thursday morning The Falcon gets information of the death in Helena, Arkansas, of Mr. Ed Moseby who was reared and has lived practically all his life at the old Mosby home in fourth district a few miles north of Somerville. He was a brother of the late P. B. Mosby who died at the old home place about ten years ago, and two brothers yet survive; both living at Helena.

The report mentioned above states that on the night of December 31 he was attacked on the streets of Helena by foot pads and was left unconscious, being found in that condition some time later. With the attack and exposure pneumonia developed and the compli-

cation was more than he could withstand. Burial will take place in Somerville this (Thursday) afternoon following arrival of the remains on the two o'clock train.

Special Notice.

Because of the failure of the N. C. & St. L. Ry. to deliver our shipment of paper to us Thursday morning we are forced to send only four pages of The Falcon to R. F. D. subscribers and subscribers on Southern Railway points that must be mailed Thursday afternoon.

Our shipment of paper was sent by the Railroad to Nashville instead of being delivered in Somerville.

Capt. C. A. S. Shaw Dies in Memphis.

The body of the late Capt. C. A. S. Shaw was brought here from Memphis on last Wednesday, December 30, and interred in the Somerville cemetery with services at the grave by Rev. R. B. Swift. He had many warm friends in Somerville and Fayette county where he was for a larger part of his life a prominent figure. He left here several years ago and was living in Memphis at the time of his death. The following from the Commercial-Appeal is a very just tribute to his memory:

"Capt. C. A. S. Shaw, for many years a leading factor in practical business and social life in Fayette County Tennessee, died at his home here, 230 Driver Street, yesterday morning at 8:45 o'clock.

Capt. Shaw was born on the old Shaw plantation south of Somerville, Tennessee, in 1842, and spent the bulk of his life in Fayette county. At the first call to arms he joined the Confederate army, going out in the infantry in which army he remained until the battle of Shiloh, where he was so severely wounded in the legs that further foot service was out of the question. However in a few months he was able to ride, and at once joined Gen. Forrest, with whom he fought as valiantly as any man through all the campaigns and with whom he surrendered at Gainesville, Ala.

For some years after the war Capt. Shaw was one of the largest planters in Fayette county at Ross Hill, near old Belmont. Later he moved to Somerville and for some years was clerk of the circuit court. He also ran the Southern Hotel there and for a long time conducted the Rustic Inn at Rogers Springs. Some five years ago he moved to Memphis. Four years ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis, and grew gradually worse until Monday, when his condition became grave.

Capt. Shaw was a gentleman of the old school. He was kind of heart, generous to a fault, courageous to the point of recklessness, true to his word, his honor and his friends and honest to the final degree.

He is survived by two children, Miss Cornelia Shaw and John T. Shaw, of this city."

How To Give Quinine To Children.
FEBRILIN is the trade-mark name given to an improved Quinine. It is a Tasty Syrup, pleasant to take and does not disturb the stomach. Children take it and never know it is Quinine. Also especially adapted to adults who cannot take ordinary Quinine. Does not cause nervousness nor ringing in the head. Try it the next time you need Quinine for any purpose. Ask for Febrilin original package. The name FEBRILIN is blown in bottle. 25 cents.

Obituary.

On Monday afternoon December 21, 1914, a very sad accident happened when Mr. T. S. Beal was thrown from his horse near his home which was supposed to cause death. In a short while afterwards he was found dead, some few yards from where he was thrown off his horse.

Mr. Beal was a farmer and was seventy five years of age, he was a soldier in the civil war and was a man of good character and attended to his own affairs, he was well thought of by everyone who knew him.

He professed religion in early life and was a member of the Methodist church. In all dealings Mr. Beal was honest, open and sincere; of a most genial disposition, never losing his temper and had a very large circle of friends.

He leaves a wife and four children, two sons and two daughters surviving him. Now we must remember that God giveth and God taketh, so let us be willing, ready and waiting to meet him in the happy land above where there is never sorrow.

The remains were laid to rest in the Jones Chapel cemetery, services were conducted by Rev. Stubblefield. "C"

A Texas Wonder.

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs rheumatism, and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder trouble in children. If not sold by your druggist will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for Tenn. testimonials, Dr. E. W. Hall, 1920 Oliver street, St. Louis, Mo. Send for Tenn. testimonials. Sold by druggists. 4-1-1.

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Mid-Winter Clearance Sale

All Winter Goods at Cost and Below Cost

The Greatest Slaughter of Prices Ever Heard Of!

For the Month of January

We can't mention everything, but below we give a few items, so you may see this is truly

A Genuine Reduction Sale

Men's Clothing and Overcoats

\$20.00 and \$25.00 values \$12.75
15.00 and \$20.00 values \$10.75
12.50 values 7.75

Boy's Suits

\$10.00 values \$6.95
8.00 values 5.00
6.00 values 3.95
5.00 values 3.45
4.00 values 2.95
3.50 values 2.45

Sweaters

Men's and Women's

\$3.50 values at \$2.30
3.00 values at 1.90
2.50 values at 1.50
2.00 values at 1.30
1.50 values at .95
1.00 values at .75
.75 values at .48
.50 values at .38

Underwear

.50 values at 39c
1.00 values at 79c
1.25 values at 99c
1.50 values at \$1.09

Sheetings, Domestic

Pepperel Mills Sheetting 10 quarters wide, formerly sold 27¹/₂c at 35c, per yard

Nine-quarter wide sheetting, the 30c quality, now on sale 25c per yard

Brown domestic, formerly 5c 7c, now

All Winter Shoes

Men's, Women's Children's

Reduced 10 per cent.

These are all this season's new and up-to-date shoes.

All 10c GINGHAMS and 7¹/₂c OUTINGS, now

Dress Goods

Silks, Woolens and Poplins

\$1.25 values at 89c
1.00 values at 79c
.75 values at 58c
.50 values at 38c
.25 values at 19c
.15 values at 10c
.10 values at 7 1-2c

Hosiery

50c values at 43c
35c values at 29c
25c values at 21c
15c values at 12c
10c values at 8c

Blankets

A Full, Beautiful Line

\$12.50 values at \$7.95
10.00 values at 5.50
8.00 values at 4.99
6.00 values at 3.80
5.00 values at 3.28
4.00 values at 2.90
3.50 values at 2.30

A nice line of Comforts, from \$1.25 to \$3.50 values cut proportionately

Ladies' Suits and Coats

\$35 values at \$18.75
25 values at 14.95
20 values at 11.00
15 values at 8.90
10 values at 7.45

These are new, up-to-date styles.

Exceptional Values!

Our Ladies' Department is without question, the largest, most complete ever seen in Somerville. A visit to this department means a substantial saving.

We have on hand a large lot of last year skirts and suits, values as high as \$25.00, all to go during the month of January at \$3.99

It's the Money We Want---

If you have it, here's your opportunity to make your dollars do double duty--to get almost two for one in merchandise values.

These Prices are Spot Cash

No exceptions--all will be treated just alike. Anything charged will be at the regular selling price in force before this announcement.

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